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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Souichi OKADA, et al.

Serial No. 10/034,321

Group Art Unit: 2136

Confirmation No. 8896

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Examiner: Parthasarathy, Pramila

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 23, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on December 23, 2005. A Petition for a 1-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to January 23, 2006.

The following remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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